



## **Policy Clarification 2017-07-01**

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**Title: Contractor /State Interaction**

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**Program impacted: All programs**

This memo provides clarification regarding situations in which an eligibility determination that is screened and prepared by a contractor must be reviewed and authorized by KDHE staff. Although contract staff is allowed to assist with case development, federal rules require a state employee make the final determination of Medicaid. The State Interaction chart has been used to document specific case situations that require state involvement. The State Interaction chart has been updated to include a specific section for review processing as well as other minor updates. The chart is attached to this memo and will also be incorporated into a future revision of Maximus Job Aid 7.9 - State Interaction. Until then, staff are to use the attached version when making processing decisions.